law of the State, are hereby legalized, and the same hereby declared to be valid and binding, the same as though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with in the incorporation of said town, the election of its officers, and the passing of its ordinances.

Take effect.

This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa, and the Larrabee Review, at Lar[r]abee, Cherokee County, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved May 13, 1897.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register May 25, 1897.

> G. L DOBSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 31.

H. F. 112. A BILL for an act to legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Rathbun, Iowa, and all ordinances and acts passed by the Town Council.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Town incorporation legalized.

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the town of Rathbun, Appanoose County, Iowa, be and the same is hereby legalized; that the official acts of the town Council of the said town and all ordinances, resolutions, rules, and official acts adopted by the Council, and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid in every respect, as fully as if the law had been strictly complied with; nothing Saving clause in this act shall affect pending litigation.

Take effect.

This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Centerville Journal, a newspaper published at Centerville, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved May 14, 1897.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the lows State Register May 19, and Centerville Journal May 20, 1897. G. L. Dobson Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 32.

AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Pocahontas, H. F. 114. Pocahontas County, Iowa, the election of its officers and all acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town, including the official acts of the present officers.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the Preamble. incorporation of the town of Pocahontas, Pocahontas

County, Iowa, and the election of its officers and acts done and ordinances passed by the council of the said town, including the acts of the present officers; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. That the incorporation of the town of Incorpora-Pocahontas, Pocahontas County, Iowa, the election of its tion, etc., officers, and all official acts, and all ordinances passed by the council of said town, including the acts of the present officials of said town, not in contravention with the laws of the state are hereby legalized and the same are hereby declared valid and binding, the same as though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with.

Provided, however, that nothing in this act shall in any saving clause

manner affect any pending litigation.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, published at Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Pocahontas Record, published at Pocahontas County, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved May 14, 1897.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register May 21, 1897.

G. L. DODSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT to legalize the corporation of the town of Arnolds Park, S. F. 103. Dickinson County, Iowa, and the notice for the election of the officers thereof and the election of the officers of said town.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the Preamble. incorporation of the town of Arnolds Park, Dickinson County, Iowa, and the notices for the election of its officers and the election of its officers; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the corporation of the town of corporation, Arnolds Park, Dickinson County, Iowa, and the notices of etc., legalized election of the officers thereof and the election of the officers of said town and all acts done by the commissioners in the incorporation and election of the officers of said town are hereby legalized and the same are hereby declared valid and binding the same as though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with:

Provided, however, that this act shall in no manner Saving clause

affect pending litigation.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its